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Dear Dr. Katzhendler:

I have received your recent request to consider a research proposal concerning New potential anti-cancer drugs based on radical formation. I have discussed this application with our Scientific Director in the context of our mission to support biomedical science. Over the years, The Council for Tobacco Research has supported research projects concerned almost exclusively with the etiology and pathogenesis of somatic diseases that have an implied linkage to smoking as revealed by epidemiological associations. We do not support work that has a direct link to drug development which we feel can be supported by the drug industry Even though we realize there is a link between drugs and biomedical research we do not support work in the commercial arena or in areas that could be a direct monetary benefit to a commercial enterprise.

Because of the increased difficulties many investigators are experiencing securing support for their projects in basic science research, The Council has been reluctant to divert its very limited resources from such studies. I wish you luck in securing support from alternate sources.

In case you have research interests more in line with our areas of support, I am enclosing some information we send to all potential applicants explaining our program in more detail.

Sincerely,

Arthur D. Eisenberg

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